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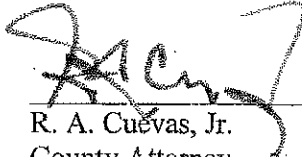
**TO:** Honorable Chairman Joe A. Martinez  
and Members, Board of County Commissioners

**DATE:** June 13, 2012

**FROM:** R. A. Cuevas, Jr.  
County Attorney

**SUBJECT:** Resolution directing the County Mayor  
to conduct a study of the feasibility and  
advisability of installing pedestrian  
crosswalks as necessary along Biscayne  
Boulevard in the area spanning from the  
intersections of NE 54th Street to  
NE 61st Street in Miami-Dade County

The accompanying resolution was prepared and placed on the agenda at the request of Prime  
Sponsor Vice Chairwoman Audrey M. Edmonson.

  
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R. A. Cuevas, Jr.  
County Attorney

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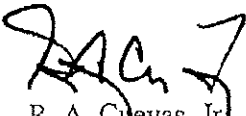


# MEMORANDUM

(Revised)

**TO:** Honorable Chairman Joe A. Martinez  
and Members, Board of County Commissioners

**DATE:** July 3, 2012

**FROM:**   
R. A. Cuevas, Jr.  
County Attorney

**SUBJECT:** Agenda Item No.

Please note any items checked.

- ☐ "3-Day Rule" for committees applicable if raised
- ☐ 6 weeks required between first reading and public hearing
- ☐ 4 weeks notification to municipal officials required prior to public hearing
- ☐ Decreases revenues or increases expenditures without balancing budget
- ☐ Budget required
- ☐ Statement of fiscal impact required
- ☐ Ordinance creating a new board requires detailed County Manager's report for public hearing
- ☐ No committee review
- ☐ Applicable legislation requires more than a majority vote (i.e., 2/3's \_\_\_\_, 3/5's \_\_\_\_, unanimous \_\_\_\_) to approve
- ☐ Current information regarding funding source, index code and available balance, and available capacity (if debt is contemplated) required

Approved \_\_\_\_\_ Mayor  
Veto \_\_\_\_\_  
Override \_\_\_\_\_

Agenda Item No.  
7-3-12

RESOLUTION NO. \_\_\_\_\_

RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE COUNTY MAYOR OR  
COUNTY MAYOR'S DESIGNEE TO CONDUCT A STUDY OF  
THE FEASIBILITY AND ADVISABILITY OF INSTALLING  
PEDESTRIAN CROSSWALKS AS NECESSARY ALONG  
BISCAYNE BOULEVARD IN THE AREA SPANNING FROM  
THE INTERSECTIONS OF NE 54TH STREET TO NE 61ST  
STREET IN MIAMI-DADE COUNTY

**WHEREAS**, Biscayne Boulevard has undergone phased reconstruction over recent years by the Florida Department of Transportation, in an effort to ease congestion and to facilitate traffic flow, including improvements to roadway and sidewalks from the intersection of NE 37<sup>th</sup> Street to the intersection of NE 87<sup>th</sup> Street in Miami-Dade County; and

**WHEREAS**, pedestrian crossings provide a means by which the public can cross over busy roadways in a safe and efficient manner; and

**WHEREAS**, the general public benefits by the improvement of safety and access at busy intersections, and

**WHEREAS**, pedestrian crossings already have been installed in several locations along Biscayne Boulevard, including the intersections of Biscayne Boulevard and NE 72nd Street, NE 83rd Street and NE 85th Street; and

**WHEREAS**, numerous intersections between NE 54th Street and NE 61st Street do not currently include pedestrian crossings (such as NE 58<sup>th</sup> Street), notwithstanding the busy nearby residential communities and commercial establishments; and

**WHEREAS**, a feasibility study will assist in determining whether the installation of pedestrian crossings at intersections between NE 54th Street and NE 61st Street is a viable means to accomplish the goals of improving safety and access in this area; and

**WHEREAS**, a study regarding the feasibility and advisability of the subject pedestrian crossings is in the best interest of the citizens of Miami-Dade County,

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA**, that this Board directs the County Mayor or County Mayor's designee to conduct a study as to the feasibility and advisability of providing pedestrian crosswalks at necessary intersections between NE 54th Street and NE 61st Street, which may include safety, access and efficiency analyses as deemed appropriate by the Public Works and Waste Management Department. A report containing the findings and recommendations resulting from this study shall be submitted to this Board within 60 days of the adoption of this resolution.

The Prime Sponsor of the foregoing resolution is Vice Chairwoman Audrey M. Edmonson. It was offered by Commissioner who moved its adoption. The motion was seconded by Commissioner and upon being put to a vote, the vote was as follows:

Joe A. Martinez, Chairman	
Audrey M. Edmonson, Vice Chairwoman	
Bruno A. Barreiro	Lynda Bell
Esteban L. Bovo, Jr.	Jose "Pepe" Diaz
Sally A. Heyman	Barbara J. Jordan
Jean Monestime	Dennis C. Moss
Rebeca Sosa	Sen. Javier D. Souto
Xavier L. Suarez	

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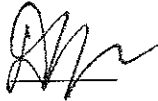
The Chairperson thereupon declared the resolution duly passed and adopted this 3rd day of July, 2012. This resolution shall become effective ten (10) days after the date of its adoption unless vetoed by the Mayor, and if vetoed, shall become effective only upon an override by this Board.

MIAMI-DADE COUNTY, FLORIDA  
BY ITS BOARD OF  
COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

HARVEY RUVIN, CLERK

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Deputy Clerk

Approved by County Attorney as  
to form and legal sufficiency.



Debra Herman

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